



AMENDMENTS TO SPECIFICATION

Please amend paragraph 17 as follows:

Fig. 3A is an end a perspective view of another cleaning element;

Fig. 3B is an end view of the cleaning element as shown in Fig. 3A

Please amend paragraph 40 as follows:

Referring now to Figs. 5 and 6, there is depicted another mat or pad 690 mountable on the one of the spindles of the present invention. The pad 690 includes a plurality of larger conical shaped projections 692, each terminating in a small nib 694, by example only. The conical shaped projection 692 are somewhat randomly spaced about a substrate 696 with which they form a homogenous body. The substrate 696 may be formed as a continuous closed cylindrical member, or as shown in Figs. 5, 6, 7 and 8, as a sheet which wrapped around a tubular or cylindrical core 698. Opposed ends 700 and 702 of the sheet 696 are complementary shaped to inverted angled edges 704 and 706 in a longitudinally extending discontinuity in the core 698 so as to mount the ends of the substrate 696 in the core 698 in a snap-fit. In this aspect, a thin rib 708 extends from the core 698 intermediate the inward facing edges 704 and 706 to separate the ends of the substrate 696 as shown in Figs. 25 5 and 26 6.

Please amend paragraph 47 as follows:

A bi-directionally rotatable motor 910 is mountable within the housing 902. The output shaft of the motor is coupled to a transmission or clutch 912. An output shaft 914 projects from the transmission 912 externally at one end of the housing 902. The output of drive shaft 914 is fixedly coupled to a rotatable support, such as a rotatable spindle 915- 916 shown in Fig. 11. Although the spindle can take any cross-sectional shape, by way of example only, the spindle has a generally circular cross-section with a plurality, with three being depicted by way of example only, of longitudinally extending arcuate recesses 920. The recesses 920 are adapted to mate with the longitudinally extending enlargement 738 in a cleaning element core or support as shown in Fig. 10 to fixedly couple the cleaning element to the spindle 916 for bi-directional rotation with the spindle 916.

Please amend paragraph 68 as follows:

Fig. 23 depicts an alternate aspect in which the liquid dispenser body 210, with or without the dispensing aperture 224 in sidewall, is provided with an aperture 230 in an end wall 232. A movable plunger 234 is retained in the aperture 230 and has an end extending therethrough in the bristles 236 on an end attachment cap 238 which is threaded or snap fit to the end of the container 210. Engagement of the bristles 236 with an object to be cleaned will deform the bristles 236 sufficiently to enable the plunger 234 to be forced into the interior of the container 210 thereby opening the

aperture 230 and allowing the dispensing of liquid cleaner from the container 210 to the bristles 236 wherein it is applied to the object being cleaned. Separation of the bristles 236 from the object being cleaned causes the plunger 236 to extend to its fullest extent through the aperture 230 sealing the aperture 230 and preventing the further flow of liquid from the interior of the container 210 through the aperture 232 230.

Please amend paragraph 69 as follows:

It will be noted that the aperture 232 230 may be used by itself or in conjunction with the sidewall aperture 234 where a separate cleaning element is mounted about the sidewall of the container 210.